Weather

Gloomy and squally today. The maximum temperature yesterday was 47 and the minimum 34.7, the figures for the corresponditional last year, being 42.8 and 20.8.

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BRITISH PROPOSAL REGARDING RUSSIA

London Wants To Invite All Russian Governments To Call Truce

FRANCE DECLINES

Will Have Nothing To Do With Move Because It Includes Soviets

WOULD BAR THEM

Proposes Instead A Conference Of All Parties Except The Bolsheviki

(Renter's Agency War Service) Paris, January 12.—Great interest

has been aroused by the publication in the newspapers of the text of a of my taking a wider interest in internote addressed by M. Pichon, the French Minister of Foreign Affairs, to Great Britain showing that the latter during December proposed to the Associated Governments that they should invite all the Russian governments, including the Soviet, to call a truce during the Peace Conference and to send representatives to it with a view to establishing general peace.

M. Pichon replied on January 5 BIG NEW YORK STRIKE spirit shown by Great Britain to a universal reconciliation but declining to agree to the inclusion of the Bolsheviki owing to their many criminal acts but adding that France agreed to the proposal that an invitation should be sent to the other Russian governments.

Press Supports Decision

The press, with the exception of the extreme organs, is satised with the decision of M. Pichon, the Minister for Foreign not to treat with the Bolsheviki leaders, Bolshevism not being a system of Government but sheer anarchy and the Bolsheviki being the declared enemies of the Entente and of existing systems of government. M. Pichon laid down in a few words that the duty of the Allies is to furnish the Russian peoples with arms, re-sources and military support against the Bolshevist movement and the proongation of German aggression.

Conditions Better In Esthonia news from Esthonia is more reas-Warships bombarded the strongholds of the Bolsheviki be- equitable wages and working contween Reval and Narva, after which the Esthonians attacked and the have also taken the offensive on a President Wilson, the War Labor Benjamin godowns, 25 Avenue from of fifty miles between Taps and Board will meet in New York on the Eduard VII, on Mondays, Tuesdays, respectively south of Reval and re- Meanwhile the Board will urge the raffways towards Pernau

Stockholm, January 12.-An official communique issued by the Esthonian Government today re-

direction of Wesenberg we reached line Potsuhall-Jalassa-Malla An armored train reached Waeggwa and troops were landed and captured the works and manors of Port kunda and Malla.

BOLSHEVIK PROPAGANDA ACTIVE IN WEST SIBERIA

Rumor Of Soviets' Recapture Of Perm Denied By

Vladivostok

(Reuter's Pacific Service) viki have recaptured Perm is without

Suggestions For China At Allied Peace Conference

REFUSED BY PARIS Views Given By Gen. Ju Ju-jen, Commander-in-Chief Of The Shensi Revolutionary Party

> en as he is often called, is com er-in-chief of the Shensi Revoluonary Party. He was formerly litor of the Min Li Pao in Shang-

volutions of 1911 and 1913.)

During the past 17 years I have red in Shanghai, devoting my time nd energy mainly to the spread of emocratic ideas in the Far East dayed a very important part in dispelling the forces arrayed against temogracy. This I humbly believe to have been true. But the steals which I have cherished all along are still far from being realised.

Unfortunately my time is now too fully occupied in the present struggle gainst militarism in Shensi, to permit national affairs. Moreover, I am largely cut off from outside news, and only occasionally see extracts from newspapers. Hence my knowedge of external affairs is obscured

I rejoiced exceedingly in the great victory which the Allies have won over the Central Powers. Might overthrown, Righteousness exalted. in China democracy and militarism are also opposed to each other, but

especially as there is no absolute need for him to do so, as there will be other American representatives

that President Wilson's great desired for the welfare of democracy conhrough the medium of the annual pao, of which I was the editor. not merely in self-defence, neutron Pao, of which I was the editor. Not merely in self-defence, neutron When the seed already sown bore were the mighty resources of the When the seed already sown bore were the mighty resources of the British Empire utilised to the utmost protection. There were higher aims in view. Mankind is looking towards a new era of universal peace and brotherhood. Apart from this great hope, the sas precious lives would be a desecratio mitted by Germany.

The war has shaken the five cor nents to their very foundations Men's minds are being stirred; new houghts and new ideals are spring ing up; and what before seemed to The Brotherhood of Nations is no onger a remote ideal, but a matter of present, practical politics. How loss the Republic of China stand in relation to these great ideals? It is to be feared that the people for th (Continued on Page 4)

IS SETTLED PEACEABLY

Most Of Harbor Men Resume Work After Appeal By Government

(Benter's Agency War Service) New York, January 10.—The harbot umed serious dimensions It has thrown over 80,000 workers in the port out of employment and is paralysing transport, holding up teamers leaden with food and threa tening grave shortages of food in Manhattan Island. The members of the Government have cabled Preside Wilson, who is expected to intervene Meanwhile steps are being taken t divert food shipments.

New York, January 11.—The strike has practically isolated the city. The coal shortage is acute and threatens nterurban communications while the food situation is serious. The authori-Helsingfors, January 10.—The ties are taking steps on the 13th to secure the resumption of work, assuring workers that they will establish

Washington, January 11 .- In ac The Esthonians ordance with a request cabled by apparel is being received at the of fifty miles between Taps and Board will meet in New York on the Eduard VII. on Mondays, Duesdays, sekne, fifty and a hundred miles 13th to decide regarding the strike. Thursdays and Fridays between the promptly establish equitable wages

and working conditions, New York, January 12.-Most of the marine-workers have responded

MIN RIVER IMPROVEMENT Will Be Among First Measures SUPPORTED BY MINISTERS

Proposals To Help Port Of Foochow Submitted To Peking Government

(Renter's Pacific Service) Peking, January 13—After discussions between the Consuls, Chinese officials and merchant community in Fooehow, a scheme for the improvement of the navigation of the River Min between Pagoda Anchorage and Foochow on the lines recommended by Viadivostok, January 13.—Bolshevik

Arr. Ferguson, the Commissioner of
Customs, was submitted to the Diplomatic Corps. It was proposed that a
sur-tax of five percent and an annual
contribution from the Chinese Government should defray the cost of the
scheme, The Diplomatic Corps aprepresentation. scheme, The Diplomatic Corps apand on the Ufa front. An eneradvance on Ufa is held up bethe equipment and accountres requisite for the Czecho-Slovak
Siberian forces have not yet
ed.

The Diplomatic Corps approved the scheme and, on December 27, forwarded a note to the Chinese
Government pointing out that it would conduce to the commercial
prosperity of the port and recommending that it should be carried out. The
Government has not yet replied.

PADEREWSKI WOUNDED IN ATTEMPT ON LIFE

Would-Be Assassin Enters His Room And Fires Several Shots At Him

(Reuter's Agency War Service) Copenhagen, January 12 .- A me ge from Vienna states that a per son entered Paderewski's room i hotel and fired a shot at who was slightly wounded. Some arrests were made It is stated that the plot was ed by the Bolsheviki

WINTER CLOTHES NEEDED FOR SIBERIAN REFUGEES

Will Be Received. At Godowns On Avenue Edward VII At Specified Times

An urgent request for winter clothng for the Siberian refugees is being made to both the foreign and Chinose population of Shanghai. Winter pose of collecting and fumigating

Towards the coast and in the to the appeal of the Labor Board to BRITAIN TO NATIONALISE RAILWAYS, SAYS PREMIER

Before Parliament, Lloyd George Promises

(Reuter's Agency War Service) London, January 11 .- It is under stood that Mr. Lloyd George inform ed a deputation of railway men tha legislation embodying the national ication of the railways would among the first measures to be sub nitted to the new Parliament.

U.S. IMPORT RESTRICTIONS The American Consulate General

graphic advices concerning the re-

Import restrictions have been removed from the following: Coal tar distillates, eggs of poultry, explosives, matches, fresh meats, glass, and glassware, except optical glass, balsa wood, woods included under Tariff Peragraph 647, cafeine, castorbeans and oil, alfalfa seed, hempseed, vegetable ivory, rice.

The Spartacists control Spandau, where there are many munition works.

Zurich, January 12—The Frankfurter Zeitung speaks of the situation in Berlin turning momentarily to the disadvantage of the Government, which he expresses, on behalf of the disadvantage of the Spartacists to the part of the control spandau, where there are many munition works.

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Guess It's Some One To See You, William

League Will Remove Most Causes Of War. Gen. Smuts Believes

Thinks System Such As He Outlines Would Be Workable

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, January 10.-The third ection of General Smuts' program for a League of Nations, the remainder of which has been given before,

The League would reserve ultimate ntrol and the people of the governed State would have the right to appeal to it in case of mis-government. The policy of the open door would be fol

Speaking generally of the early future situation under his scheme 3th to decide regarding the Meanwhile the Board will urge the trikers to resume work on the issurance that the Board will and the Shanghai Chapter of the issurance that the Board will American Red Cross for the purhave arisen. A large number of autonomous states will also have arisen befriended, advised and assisted by the greater states, while a smaller numer of areas will be directly ministered by one or other of the Powers. Over all will be the League. neral Smuts believes that such a system is workable and will removthe most fruitful sources of war.

U.S. Troops In Siberia Request Text Books

American Soldiers Want Arithmetics, Geometries And Algebras, Says Letter

American soldiers in Siberia have equested the American Library As-ociation to supply them with mathenatics text books-arithmetics, algeoras and geometrieshas received the following tele-graphic advices concerning the re-moval of import restrictions in the request to the American Post Office

Spartacist Revolt Over, Government Victorious

Last Of Buildings Held By Them In Berlin Recaptured uary 9, totaled 1,967 locomotives out By Loyal Troops

(French Wireless) Berne, January 13.—(Via Lyons doubtless will restore the balance in and Koukaza). Telegrams coming favor of the Government. It is refrom Berlin say that it is considered that the Spartacist revolt has been definitely put an end to. On the ing in the newspaper district, not- and the Spartacists, who were sur ably the Mosse building. Most of rounded, signed an agreement or

(Reuter's Agency War Service) Berlin, January 9.—This evening exceptionally violent battles have ocaround the Mosse and Illstein buildings but the Government is apparently confident and its vent a surprise.

to the abandonment of cil, excluding the Majority Socialists. and also fresh elections to the and

London, January 12 .- The Berlin orrespondent of the Sunday Exress reports heavy fighting on the 10th, when the Government troops retook the offices of the Berliner Tageblatt. Machine-guns were used freely by both sides. The Government troops ultimately brought up tank and battered down the main after which the party obtained a footing and finally captured the building. Both the captured the building. Both the Spartacists and the Government troops lost heavily. The latter have recaptured the State printing works. The Spartacists control Spandau, where there are many munition works.

Zurich, January 12.—The Frankfurter Zeitung speaks of the situa-

reinforcements are arriving, which ported that Spartacist aeroplane have dropped bombs on Berlin. London, January 12 .- In connec night of January 11-12 the Spar- tion with the statement made by the tucists were forced, under threat of Frankfurter Zeitung regarding the embardment, to abandon the last truce in Berlin, it is semi-officially of the buildings they were still hold- stated that the Government troops

the Spartacists managed to escape the evening of the 10th whereby the and the Government troops have en- Government troops undertook not to tered all the buildings they held, receive reinforcements and to cease which were found to be full of arms hostilities, a resumption of which notice.

Amsterdam, January 12 .- An official message from Munich states that the Bavarian leader, Herr Eisner, has telegraphed to the Gov ernment in Berlin that the murder reinforcements are adequate to preous civil-war in Berlin must cease, perish. The example set by Berlin is producing insanity everywhere violence, the Spartacists demand a and the only means of salvation fresh election to the Central Couned by the confidence of the people comprising all the Soc parties.

Luxemburg Chamber Proclaims Republic

Grand Duchess Ordered To Abdicate And Committee Of Public Safety Formed

(French Wireless)

(French Wireless)

Paris, January 13.—(Via Lyons and Koukaza). After voting unanimously to dethrone the dynasty, the Luxemburg Chamber has proclaimed a republic. A Committee of Public Safety has been formed composed of three Liberals and three Supreme War Council to-

(Reuter's Agency War Service) Metz, January 12—A republic has Fower should send to the been proclaimed in Luxemburg and the Grand Duchess has retired to the

STATUS OF TRUCE IS TAKEN UP FIRST AT ALLIED COUNCIL

Questions Relating To Renewal Of Armistice Are Considered

PROGRAMPLANNED

Methods And Procedure Of Peace Preliminaries Are Mapped Out

WILSON IS PRESENT

Inaugural Sitting Of Actual Peace Conference Set For 20th

(French Wireless)

Paris, January 13 .- (Via Lyons nd Koukaza). At the conclusion of the Inter-Allied meeting, which was held on Sunday at the Qual d'Orsay in the cabinet of M. Stephen Pichon, Minister for Foreign Affairs, the following note was com-

"On Sunday afternoon, after the eeting of the Supreme War Council which examined the questions relaive to a renewal of the armistic he premiers and ministers of the Great Allied and Associated Powers lealt with the methods and manner of the peace preliminaries.

Focb Reports On Armistice

The press publishes the following dditional information:

The Inter-Allied Council has een deliberating on an extension of the armistice. Marshal Foch has ommunicated details relative to the arrying out of its terms. The numer of French prisoners returned to France up to January 12 was 458,-On this date there remained in the camps in the interior Concerning the handing over of was naterial, the Germans had still to hand over some hundreds of heavy runs and about 300 minenwerfer The rolling-stock delivered on Janof 5,000 and 61,650 wagons out of 150,000 and also 3,422 motor-lorries . . Seven hundred aeroplanes have also been handed over n accordance with the terms of the

naugural Sitting On 20th

(Reuter's Agency War Service)
Paris, January 12.—Official. The
naugural sitting of the Peace Conerence will be held on the 20th.

The Echo de Paris says that after the principle of the League of Nations has been agreed the Conference will discuss the future internationalisation of the navigation of the Rhine.

Le Matin, outlining the chief pro daims, will seek to link up her color es in Africa with India by a pr ectorate over certain states in Arabia, subject to their consent.

The Supreme War Council of the eau, M. Pichon, M. Levgues, M. Clementel, M. Loucheur, Marshal Foch, Mr. Lloyd George, Mr. A. J. Balfour, President Wilson, Mr. Lansing, Signor Orlando and Baron Sonni

This afternoon at the Qual

d'Orsay there was a meeting of the Inter-Allied Ministers their military advisers. There vas no preliminary talk but formal opening of the Conference nder the presidency of M. Clemeneau, the delegates numbering at east fifty and their secretaries be-

On the initiative of the French Government, the first question to be discussed concerns the League of Nations and the Conference will be

The Supreme War Council today discussed the question of sentatives for each State, according to the importance of the part it had played in the war, found a certain eral; Mr. D. Siffert, the Senior Consul-amount of opposition and the General; Judge Charles S. Lobingler played in the war, found a certain Council separated without having of the United States Court for China; ratified the proposal.

Paris, January 13.—The con- University; Commissioner of Opium versations at the first meeting of the representatives of the Associated Governments yesterday were contained as Banking Corporation; Comducted in English but French will be the official language at the Peace Mr. W. S. Fleming and a large number Conference.

British War Cabinet To Meet

London, January 12.—An official nessage from Paris which is the tickets only. One thousand tickets first message Reuter's has received have been printed and will be ready Imperial War Cabinet in Paris to- made to make the gathering as re- of the possibilities, but he has no

The Supreme War Council considered various matters in connection with the renewal of the armistice raised by Marshal Foch, after which the Conference deliberated on procedure and other matters connected with the peace conferences. General Bliss and General Sir Henry Wilson participated in the first portion of the proceedings.

The meeting of the Imperial War Cabinet tomorrow will discuss the

The meeting of the imperial war Cabinet tomorrow will discuss the results of today's conference.

Paris, January 11—Mr. Lloyd George, his daughter, Mr. A. Bonar Law, Sir Robert Borden, Mr. W. M. Hughes, General Smuts, Mr. W. F. Lloyd, Premier of Newfoundland, and the Maharajah of Bikanir, with recent ludian officers and a numerseveral Indian officers and a numer-ous suite, arrived this morning and were received by M. Pichon, the French Minister for Foreign Affairs.

SAIONJI SAILS FOR EUROPE (Renter's Pacific Service)

Osaka, January 14.—Marquis Salonji and suite have salled for

MR. TANG SHAO-YI ADVISES **OPIUM BE GIVEN TO ALLIES**

Telegraphs President Hsu Urging Him Not To Burn Drug Useful For Medicine

While preparations are going for ward to begin the burning of the opium stock Friday morning, Mr. Tang Shao-yi yesterday despatched a strongly urging him not to burn it but present it to the Allied Red Cross. sanction of the Cabinet to abolish After praising President Hsu for his the likin system. The message stated ation to end the evil forever he argues that the destruction of such a valuable commodity, with the attenabolished there will be no hope of securing tariff concessions from the dant expense of examination and ourning, is contrary to the principles He points out that by turning the drug over to the Allies for use as medicine much suffering could (Reuter's Agency War Service)
Paris, January 12.—There has been a further fall of about fourteen inche; in the level of the Seine and the drop is likely to continue slowly. alleviated and part of China's igations as a participant in the war discharged.

Mr. Tang says further that by sending the opium away all rumors of fraud in connection with the opium ould be silenced. He warns that if a substitute be burned for the genuine article China would be made a laughing-stock in the eyes of the whole world, including its own people. He sts an early reply from President

The burning of the opium stock accumulated here will begin in Poo-tung Friday morning at 9 o'clock, it was officially announced yesterday. A promptly at 9 o'clock. Arrangements have been made to accommodate 100 people at tiffin at noon and the tender will return after the last chest conveyed to Pootung is burned. burning of the stock at the Ewo down consisting of 448 chests of Patna and 192 chests of Malwa opiun will take about four days, it is esti-

The number of chests examined at the Jardine, Matheson's godown yesterday was 95, which was all Malwa opium. The remaining stock of Malwa in this godown is expected to be inspected today. The commissioner, the deputies and the Customs officials éngaged in the examination will tak? a holiday tomorrow, which is the first after eight strenuous days. There was nothing irregular in the examination yesterday. Two chests were found to contain only 50 cattles, but it was

explained that they were sample cases. When the burning of the Ewo stock is completed, examination of the stock kept in the godown of Messrs, E. D. Sassoon and Co. will begin. This however, will take place also at the Ewo godown, as there is not enough working space in the Sassoon godown.
The chests will be moved to the Ewo godown under strict supervision.

Much Interest Is Shown In Opium Mass Meeting

the members of the Consular body, the municipal officials and the gentry in: endorsing the International Anti-Optim Association to be formed at a mass meeting Friday afternoon at 5:15 o'clock. It is expected that strong resolutions will be adopted for the re-striction of opium, morphine and Ailied drugs to medical use.

Among those who have already consented to act as patrons of the move-

ment are Mr. A. Arlyoshi, Consul-New British Government General for Japan; Mr. Thomas Sammons, the United States Consul-Gen Much Criticised By Press Dr. F. L. Hawks Pott of St. John's

British And Chinese Officials

To Check Traffic

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, January 13.—British

Foreign Powers.

SEINE DROPS 14 INCHES

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Lazenby, Ltd., are amalgamating.

Personnel Of Lloyd George's Cabinet Berated As Lacking In New Blood

(Reuter's Agency War Scrvice)
London, January 11.—The Times
presses the view of a number of
a newspapers issued this morning

Ministry of Supply, Mr. F. G. Kellaway, Major Baird.

Food Controller, Mr. G. H. Roberts.

Minister of Shipping, Sir Joseph loner of Customs R. H. R. Wade; expresses the view of a number of of Chinese and American missionaries when it says that the new Ministry Admission to the meeting will be by will cause deep disappointmenthroughout the country. The Premier has shattered every hope that from there by telephone since the for distribution this morning at the the reconstruction of his Ministry beginning of the war, states that Y.M.C.A. and at the office of the North would at least result in the infusion there will be a meeting of the China Daily News. Efforts are being of new blood to the utmost limits

> London, January 10.—It is definitely announced that the following constitutes the complete Lloyd George

> Prime Minister and First Lord of the Treasury, Mr. D. Lloyd George. Lord Privy Seal and Leader of the House of Commons, Mr. A. Bonar Law. Leader of the House of Lords, Ear

Measures Being Taken By Ministers without portfolios, Mr. C N. Barnes and Sir Eric Geddes. Lord High Chancellor, Sir F. E

Smith. Peking, January 13.—British re- Secretary of State for Home Affairs, ports state that an appreciable amount Sir Hamar Greenwood. pers state that an appreciable amount of opium is being smuggled into China over the Burma border. Measures are being taken with a view to securing close co-operation between the Chinese and British border officials in order to suppress the traffic.

Chinese Body Urges

Abolition Of Likin

Trail Freelies and a Liking Likin

Tariff Equalisation Association

Asks Government To Take
Immediate Action

The International Tariff Equalisation Association at Shanghai recently organised under the direction of Mr.

Chang Chieff Equalisation Association at Shanghai recently organised under the direction of Mr.

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Financial Secretary, Mr. H. W.
Forster.

Under Secretary: Air Ministry.

Major-General Seely, who will be appointed Vice-President of the Air Major-General Seely, who will be appointed Vice-President of the Air Major-General Seely, who will be appointed Vice-President of the Air Major-General Seely, who will be appointed Vice-President of the Air Major-General Seely, who will be appointed Vice-President of the Air Council and will preside over it.

Secretary: Air Ministry.

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Secretary of State for India, Mr.

E.S. Montagu.

Under Secretary: Air Ministry.

Secretary: Air

Chang Chien, former Minister of Chang Chien, former Minister of Agriculture and Commerce, yester-day despatched a telegram to the Government urging the immediate Sir Albert Stanley.

Sir Albert Stanley.

Parliamentary Under-Secretary:
Board of Trade, Mr. W. C. Bridgeman.

Department of Overseas Trade Development and Intelligence, Sir A.

Steel-Maitland, who is also an additional Under-Secretary for Fereign

Affairs and an additional Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade. that unless the likin system is

Anairs and an additional Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade.
President of the Local Government
Board, Mr. Christopher Addison.
Parliamentary Secretary; Local
Government Board, Mr. Stephen
Walsh.

Walsh.
President of the Board of Agriculture, Mr. R. E. Prothero.
Parliamentary Secretary: Board of
Agriculture, Sir A. Griffith-Boscowen.
President of the Board of Education, Dr. H. A. Fisher.

Parliamentary Secretary: Board of Education, Mr. J. H. Lewis.
The Ministry of Munitions, which is to become the Ministry of Supply, Sir Andrew Weir.

Joint Parliamentary Secretaries: London, January 13 .- Crosse and Blackwell, Keiller's and Elizabeth

Minister of Shippins,
Maday,
Parliamentary Secretary: Ministry
of Shipping, Colonel Leslie Wilson,
Minister of Labor, Sir R. S. Horne,
Parliamentary Secretary: Ministry
of Labor, Mr. G. J. Wardle,
Minister of Pensions, Sir Worthing-

Minister of Pensions, Sir Worthington-Evans,
Parliamentary Secretary: Ministry
of Pensions, Colonel Craig.
Minister of National Service and
Reconstruction, Sir Auckland Geddes.
Parliamentary, Secretary: Ministry
of National Service and Reconstruction, Mr. A. C. T. Beck.
Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, The Earl of Crawford.
First Commissioner of Works, Sir
Alfred Mond.
Attorney-General, Sir Gordon
Hewart, K. C.
Solicitor-General, Sir Ernest Poliock,
Postmaster-General, Mr. A. H.
Illingworth.

Postmaster-General, Mr. A. H. Sir Hardman Lever is an accountant, those introduction of costing methods chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Austen Chamberlain.

Parliamentary Secretaries to the Treasury (joint), Lord Edmund Talbot, Captain F. E. Guést.

Financial Secretaries to the Treasury (joint), Sir S. Hardman Lever, Mr. Sir Hardman Lever, Mr. Scanley Baldwin.

Lord Commissioners of the Treasury.

The most notable of the absences tanley Baldwin.

Lord Commissioners of the Treasury,
F. Hope, J. W. Pratt, J. Parker,

sisting War Cabinet will continue. The Government intend, as soon as possible after Parliament meets to submit proposals for the establishment of a Minis ry of Ways and Communications. If these proposals are

me head of the department.

The following pecrages were con-erred on acceptance of office: Sir Andrew Weir and Mr. R. E. Prothero The new Ministry is mainly a reutlon of the old one. Ame he few exceptions, the selection of yendra Sinha, is one of the surprisin Government. It is expected in political circles that he will be elevated to the peerage. Another unexpected appointment is that of Sir R. S. Horne as Minister of Labor. He is a distinguished Scottish lawyer who proved his outstanding abilities in reorganising the railway system in Northern France and subsequently became Third Civil Lord of the Admiralty.

Stanley Balawin.

Lord Commissioners of the Treasury,
J. F. Hope, J. W. Pratt, J. Parker,
Towyn Jones.

Secretary for Scotland, Mr. R. the reasons cabled on December 16.

Munro.

Munro.

Solictor-General for Scotland, Mr. replace him in the War Cabinet.

The new Ministry is composed of Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, Field Marshal Viscount French.

Lord Chancellor of Ireland, Sir. J. The appointments in the new Ministry will cause six bye-elections, name-the Secretary for Ireland, Mr. J. 13, Oxford University, the West Derby Ministry will cause six bye-elections, namedives in the new Ministry will be new Min

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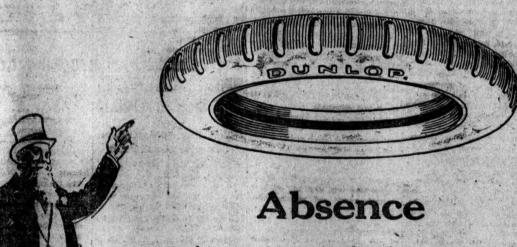
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GERMAN NAVAL REVOLT **IMPEDES SURRENDER**

Crews On Ships Refuse To Carry Out Orders And Neglect Vessels

(Reuter's Agency War Service)
London, Jamuary 10.—It is authoritatively stated that the German inded in lieu of the battle-cruiser ckensen, has been duly delivered

Scapa Flow. The Allied Commission of Ineded up the surrenders somewha Since the German naval revolt and especially subsequent to er of the German fleet, i has been very difficult to get the crews to do anything, and neglect and the disappearance of discipline have made the vessels left in Germany highly inefficient but the on has made them more s by requiring the removal of guns range-finders and other importan parts. The demobilisation at Kiel, Wilhelmshaven and the other blg ports is practically completed and is proceeding satisfactorily elsewhere.
The Allies are superintending the

care of the dismantled parts. The demobilisation of the German navy has also been somewhat noticeable at Scapa Flow. The German officers are only able to issue orders through the Soviet on board and the men frequently ignore them.

ompleted submarines were found in German ports, the majority. of them mere skeletons. Sixty completed submarines were discovered, of which sixteen are leav nany on the 12th for surrender to the British authorities.

er's agency learns that the Allied Commission of Investigation has visited Heligoland but found no

TEA-DANCE AT CARLTON FOR SIBERIAN ORPHANS

American Woman's Club Anounces Dansant And Sale Of Pictures For Next Week.

The American Woman's Club will hold a tea-dansant and an exhibition and sale of pictures at the Carlton Cafe for the benefit of the Siberian Orphans' Fund, Wednesday afternoon, January 22. The pictures will be on exhibition from three o'clock until five and there will be dancing to the Carlton orchestra from five until seven o'clock. Tea will be served. Tickets are for sale at one dollar and the entire proceeds will be turned over to the Allied War Relief Association for work now planned in behalf of the children of Siberia.

Mr. Bouls Ladow, manager of the

Mr. Louis Ladow, manager of the Carlton is giving the hall and music and Madame Wu Hsing-fen, foremost of Chinese contemporary painters, and Mrs. James Macbeth have denated pictures to be sold for the benefit of the Fund.

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the benefit of the Fund.

The pictures on exhibition will include some of Madame Wu's latest, thirty of which will be sold.

Madame Wu is the most famous of Chinese lady artists. Her pictures have been exhibited all over the world and at an exhibition in Rome, in 1910, when a number of Chinese artists were requested to send works, the Queen of Italy purchased several of Madame Wu's paintings.

AMERICAN POSTAL AGENT CALLED TO WASHINGTON

Mr. Everett Summoned By Cable To Attend Conference; Leaves Saturday

Mr. E. H. Everett, United States Postal Agent, will leave for the United States on the Empress of Japan, sailing Saturday afternoon. Mr. Byerett will go direct to Washington as the result of a cable summoning him to attend a conference to discuss handling of American mail here, at Viadivostok and at other points in the Far East. During Mr. Everett's absence, the American Post Office will be incharge of Mr. E. H. Murray and Mr. L. T. Kenake will act as Superintendent of Mails.

Mr. Everett expects to return to Shanghai on the Empress of Asia about the middle of March.



Unshackled Anarchy

Battles Fought In Argentine Capital With 250 Killed And 700 Wounded

(Reuter's Agency War Service) New York, January 12.—Buenos Aires is apparently in the hands of an unshackled anarchy, the excesses ranging from theft to indiscriminate

strike of harbor-men has caused 150,000 workers to come out in symestigation at German ports has pathy. The strikers have burned a arsenal, securing quantities of amstrikers all night long. The strike is attributed to German agents.

negotiations all night long with the Government officials, the strikers voted in favor of ending the general strike provided the demands of the Vasena granted. iron works strikers were

Buenos Aires, January 12.—Despite he statement that the strike has terminated, there has been a recrudes-cence of shooting and other disorders which continued all night long. An attack on the Post Office was repelled attacks on the Vasena fron works, 20 persons were killed and 60 wounded.
All the Government buildings are closely guarded. All labor meetings have been prohibited. A censurship of news sent overseas is antic'pated. The Commander of the Government

been killed and 700 wounded in the strike riots.

(French Wireless)

Paris, January 13.—(Via Lyons and Koukaza). A message from Buenos Aires says that the general strike which has broken out in the Argentine has led to a number of has visited Heligoland but found no surprises in the defenses disclosed which were not already known to the Admiralty.

The Admiralty of the A

The St. John's Echo

The December, 1918, number of the St. John's Echo, which has just made its appearance, contains much interesting reading matter. Besides the editorial by President F. L. Hawks. Pott, who wrote on the Allied victory the 4lfe of soldiers both at the battle-front and in training comps was described in several letters sent to the university by former St. John's professors and students, including Lieutenant L. K. Urquhart, Mr. J. A. Mitchell, Lieutenant W. S. A. Pott, Private Harold B. Barton, Dr. Walter H. Pott and the late Acting Sergeant O. W. Gott.

The opium question is fleverly handled by Ku Ts-kang in a treatise entitled "The Burst Bubble." There is an essay on the Chinese statesman, Li Hung-chang, by Y. Z. Sung and an interesting story on Chinese superstition by Yui Oong-kyuin. "The Fisherman's Daugster." K. S. Wel contributes an article on "Civilisation and its Present Crisis."

The athletic notes, the alumninotes, the Chinese section and the various news departments complete the Issue.

PROGRESS?

According to the Chinese press, the famous old examination hells in Namiding are being pulled down for the crection of a commercial museum. The bricks which are obtained by the demolition of the cells are sold at \$30 per thousand. The proceeds will be utilised for the construction of roads in the city.

HAEMORRHOIDS

HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT Armenian Refugees Rules Buenos Aires TO BE HEADED BY KAROLYI

Will Have Temporary Control Pending Decision By Constituent Assembly

Leave Vladivostok

Former Members Of Czecho-Slovak Council Also Go On Italian Transport

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Vladivostok, January 18.—An Italian transport left for Naples today carry-Paris, January 13.—(Vis. Lyons and Koukaza). The National Council of Hungary has unanimously decided that the supreme power should be exercised, until the Constituent Assembly shall have decreed otherwise, by a popular government under the presidency of Count Karolvi.

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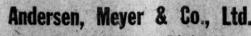


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According to telegraphic informa-tion from the head office of the Nor-wegian Africa and Australia Line, at Christiania, that company will des-putch a steamer on its China and Japan service this month.

Mr. E. K. Howe, one of the survivors when the Quantico, United States Shipping Board steamer operated by the Robert Dollar Company, was wrecked off the Philippines coast Christmas night, has been discharged from the Philippine General Hospital and will sail for Shanghai from Mania on January 20.

There will be no meeting of the Engineering Society of China on January 21 as previously announced. The paper on "The Further Improve-ment of Chefoo Harbor" has been SELECTION OF SELECTION

An inter-company competition drill, inspection and review of the Student Battalion will be held at St. John's University Saturday afternoon. Lt. Comdr. M. C. Shirley, U.S.N., will by the reviewing officer. An exhibition by Boy Scouts will also be given.

The trial on appeal was resumed in Kobe on January 8 of Mr. J. S. Willes, editor and publisher of the Kobe Herald, and the Japanese printer, on the double charge of disturbing public the double charge of daturbing public order and peace and lese majeste. It will be remembered that after a trial in 'camera the Kobe Court sentenced in 'camera the Kobe Court sentenced Mr. Willes to imprisonment without hard labor for ten months on the combined charges and ordered him to pay fines totaling Yen 500. The printer was sentenced to imprisonment without hard labor for three months and to a fine of Yen 70. The appeal proceedings, as on the occasion of the prosecution, were conducted in camera, and judgment will be delivered on January 20.

The American Minister sent down from Peking his Secretary of Legation, Mr. Willing Spencer, to represent His Excellency at the ceremony of renaming Wilhelm Strasse, the principal street in the former German Concession at Tientsin, into Woodrow Wilson Street on the afternoon of January 11.

Because he fired a rifle at a cat belonging to Mr. E. H. Dunning at Sans Souci Terrace, Mr. J. C. Mantel, of the Netherlands Trading Co., was flued ten guilders in the Dutch Con-sulate Court Monday.

A Chinese shopkeeper was fined \$100 or two months imprisonment yesterday in the Mixed Court for causing a fire to break out at 203 Kwangso Road Monday by his negligence. The accused claimed that he upset a kerosene lamp by accident.

According to the Chung Foo News gency, Judge Ho Yl-koo of the upreme. Court, Peking, has been ppointed by the Ministry of Justice be its delegate to the International awyers' Convention to be held lortly in Manla.

The annual meeting of the Share-toriciers' Association will be held at the office of the association, 8 Jinkee Road, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of January 22.

Mr. C. C. Wang, managing-director of the Peking-Hankow Rallway, is in Shanghal on his way to Europe. He is accompanying Mr. Yi Knng-cho, former Vice-Minister of Communications, who is serving as special adviser to the Chinese peace commission, on his trip to Europe.

More Mail Waiting At U.S. Post Office

Ecuador Packages Ready For Distribution, Parcel Post In Yesterday Delayed

Mail arriving from the United States yesterday morning on the B. A. T. steamer Justin further complicated matters at the American Peet Office and, despite the large number of packages taken from the parcel-post room during the day, 569 sacks of second-class mail matter from the Justin are stored in another

oom because the Ecuador pack- all, and the welfare of Ch'na would

ages have not yet been claimed. The American Post Office requests Problems Before Conference that all who have been notified that mail awaits them should present their notifications today in order that

their notifications today in order that the Justin mail may be sorted.

Mail arriving on the Nanking a d Javary is nearly all distributed, thus making room for that received on the Ecuador. This now adorns the parcel-post room while the mail com-

Ing yesterday stands in line.

Included in the 575 sacks arriving on the Justin were 23 sacks of firstclass mail, which was sorted before

JAPAN'S FOREIGN TRADE

(Renter's Pacific Service) Tokio, January 13.—The exports from Japan last year totaled Yen 1,962,700,258 and the imports Yen 1,668,138,135.

Shensi General On World Peace

(Continued from Page 1) most part are still in darkness, while even the enlightened among us are very short-sighted and consider matters affecting China only; such as the questions concerning Tsing-tao, the Customs, extra-territorial-ty, and so on. Their main concern ty, and so on. Their main concern seems to be what China will gain out of the war. If this was our only motive for joining the Allies, it must be confessed as unworthy the aims and ideals of the Republic.

of international brotherhood, the true bulwark of peace and national prosperity. Failing this, what protection and security is there for China? Hence the vital importance of not allowing the thought of national benefits to obscure the vast spiritual issues at stake.

The memorandum addressed to China by the Allies expresses the hope that China will pool her resources with those of the Allies. That is to say, it is not only the

That is to say, it is not only the duty of China to the other nations that she should be unhampered by internal strife, but that the present is also her great opportunity, an opportunity that must not be missed. In regard to the question of representation at the Peace Conference, it would be fitting that the Chinese envoy should be a person of sound reputation, with a wide know-ledge of democratic aims and ideas, and one, moreover, who has devoted much of his time and energy to the mech of his time and energy to the development of such aims and ideas. In the Far East. He should go as a representative, not of any particular party, but of the people. China pessesses such men. As soon as North and South have come to articable settlement of their differences. a representative possessing ar.icable settlement of their differences, a representative possessing it ese qualifications, and carrying with him the approval of the people as a whole, should be chosen. He should be responsible, not merely for the representation of China's needs and difficulties, but more especially for the task of seeking a solution of the great world problems to be discussed in the Conference. Such a man would be welcomed by

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Why did The Hague tribunal fail in the purpose? First, because it was only designed to deal with troubles that had already become acute. Second, because it was composed of diplomarists whose business it was to think only of their

be the center of gravity for all other Parliaments so to speak, and should bring foreign policy under control of popularly elected assemblies. With some such organisation as this, all international differences could be adjusted before they give rise to war. Behind the clear decision of Parliament, there would be the combined weight of all the nations represented and to go contrary to such a decision, would be to incur the opposition of a powerful majority. In this way the welfare of small nations would be safeguarded. Points of difference would be readjusted on their would be readjusted on their merits without relation to the strength or weakness of the powers concerned.

acute. Second, because it was composed of diplomarists whose business it was to think only of their country's interests, and not of the common good. What is needed is some sort of permanent world Parliament would be a declaration of the salidarity of the human race, and would prove the death blow to militarism and autocracy. The form of government, there will milurally be no representation. This world Parliament should be above all national Parliaments. It should

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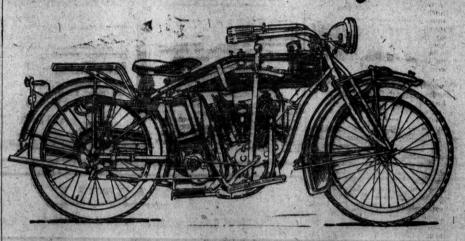
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New York, December 9.—Some of the peak wages paid to labor will drop, but there will not be any wide-spread shutdown of factories, unloyment, or industrial /chaos, rding to Frank A. Vandernp, head of the National City Bank, who pre-sented his views on the labor and industrial situation to the Academy of olitical Science, which has just con-

cluded its annual sessions.
"Our subject," he said, "is our industrial victory, and what a victory it was. A greater victory, the victory in the fields of France, could not have been won without that industrial the fields of France, could not have off0,000 in gold, and every bank in the been won without that industrial Allied countries has more gold than bevictory. It meant co-operation, fore the war, forming a great insacrifice, the gathering together of crease in the basis of circulating the vast facilities of this country, and money. We are on a level of prices finally the pouring of a stream of where we are likely to remain for war products which simply overwhelmed the enemy. It was a vic-war financing is not. There will have tory that the whole nation took par.

we never told the truth about our greatness; we are amazed at the of money, and I don't think there is a extent of this industrial victory, at the prospect of any very extreme feat that was performed.

"But victories are not bloodless. been some hurts. We have had to see Government regulations introduced that have been unfortunate, They have been necessary, but they have been unfortunate, because they have brought fictitious conditions into our industrial and commercial life. They have had an unfortunate effect on the minds of people, and we have been led too much to lean on Government to believe that Government can de things that really in the end Government can de things that really in the end Government can de old condition of individualism, if we are to work out our future to the best advantage.

"For my part, I hope to see that return prompt and complete. There are difficulties about that. It would be thing; that chaos would result from en unfortunate, because they have

thing; that chaos would result from abandoning this regulation or that regulation, but on the whole, I am nvinced that the sooner we return to the old order, the sooner these interferences and regulations are aban-doned, the better prepared we will be to start on what must be a long, hard

"You have been considering at this certainly there is nothing in the whole outlook that is more important, and we get widely divergent points of view. I have a plumber friend who iking terms with him-and he has een earning \$100 a week on Governwork. He told me that he wa going to continue to earn \$100 a week, and that the Government must provide a job for him paying that much. I know that his views are not unusual. On the other hand, there are manufacturers whom I have heard say that they would have to close down their factories; that labor had to be liquidated; that wages must becut down. Both points of view are



justment that cannot help being harsh in its effects. Still we have been growing, we have been making normal progress during the last four years, and might remember that we should normally have had 5,000,000 immigrants in that period. We have had practically more, and have logt upward of a million of Europeans who have returned. There is a prospect of a considerable outward movement after freedom of travel is again nent after freedom of travel is again established. We will have from 1,000,ne time to come. So we are no likely to have that overplus of labor which some expect. There has been a great damming up of production of amount of work of a peace nature to

do, so I don't consider that there is

golfig to be an excess of labor any

thing like as serious as some anticipate. "Wages are high and the price of everything is high, and there is a very substantial economic reason for the currency inflation of the whole most than four years. European countries have shipped to us \$1,300,where we are likely to remain for some time. While the war is over, war financing is not. There will have to be more loans. Very substantia in and won triumphantly.

"We have been thought at times is going on, and I don't foresee a rather a braggart nation, but really wholesale decline in prices, such as some people have anticipated. Price are naturally influenced by the volum

> changes." W. H. Hamilton of the War Labo Policies Board told the Academy that a period of unemployment could be averted by adjusting the method of demobilisation to the industrial situation or by providing employment or a large scale on national works.

Peace Delegation Appointed By Canton

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Ho, Wai Pan-peng, Ma Chi, Chin Chang, Niu Cha-cho, Chin Yun-yeng, Chang Shao-tsung and Niu Kungwen. The raison d'etre of this comthat its duties will only begin if the peace negotiations fail.

"The Government for the Protection of the Constitution."

The same telegram says that the Southern peace delegates have been selected and their names submitted to Parliament but they have not yet been disclosed. Thus another step has been made towards the Peace Conference but the lamentable delays are regretted in Peking, where it is said that the Southerners do not realise that the Powers have recognised the Northern Government and that the Southerners' only hope of participating in the Peace Conference in Paris is by an agreement with the North, as the Powers will assuredly only recognise the North if no agreement has been reached previously between the North and South.

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> half by a 14-9 score, Connor's work at left forward giving the salors the lead. In the second period, Haskell, who was the schoolboy star throughout the battle, shot four goals from the floor. Haskell was the big point-getter for the School, shooting six goals. Mack netted ten of the Navy's 22 points.

> Mack netted ten of the Nary bolnts.
> This afternoon the Y.M.C.A. Blues will play the Rowink Club at the latter's floor and tomorrow the Reds and Y.M.C.A. Training School will meet at the Y.M.C.A. No same is scheduled for Friday. Monday afterneon, the Training School and American School fives will play at the Y.M.C.A.

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IMPARTIAL AND PROGRESSIVE

SHANGHAI, JANUARY 15, 1919 The South And The Allies

I the real situation in China, politically, but there are several elements in the present situation of consider able interest and importance. In the North had acted on the friendly suggestions of the Allies made in their "Aide Memoire," presented to both North and South some time ago. Peace delegates from the North have been in Nanking for over a week, apparently ready to negotiate with South. In the second place, there seems to be no very active interest on the part of the South to get together elect and send their delegates ence is to be held. In the third place, in spite of the fact that the Northern peace delegates are already in Nanking no acceptable basis for a common meeting has been established and agreed upon by both parties. In the fourth place, the South does not seem to he any more willing to change her demands that questions of constitutionalify must be settled before any progress toward unity and made; nor is it likely peace can be made; nor is it likely that she would accept any com-promises of their constitutional demands-the re-establishment of the old parliament and government ac-Constitution-difficult and possibly impracticable as this would seem to In the fifth place what evidences are there that are satisfactory, that Japan is still not in control of the Northern party headed by Tuan Chi jui, and is not intriguing with the

Evidences may not be very apparent, but the present situation if not handled carefully. It would be quite natural for the Allies, now that the North is to all intents and pur-poses ready to discuss peace, to sume that the South was holding the conference up, and send to then a second note, as friendly as the first, stating their regrets that the South had not been able to get to gether, accept the North in good faith and their desire for peace as evinced by the despatch-of delegates to Nanking, and at the same time expressin the hope that the South will find with the North, to proceed at once towards unity and peace for the

The danger of such a note would o course lie in the interpretation of it by the South, and the interpretation considering the five named above, that would likely be named above, that would likely be made would be that the Allies has aiready come to some understanding with the North, who right alon have demanded settlement of political matters first. This interpretation, helped along by those who prefer, for self-evident reason, a discontented country, would only lead to the complete alienation of the South from the Allies. For as stated above, the South would consider with suspicionany steps leading to a weakening of their demands for a constitutional government properly constituted according to the Nanking Provisional Constitution.

The necessity for a united, peaceful country is, to say the least, a dire one. The alienation of the South from the Allies which would not be difficult in view of the probable help they would be able to get from one of her neighbors, would bring about a condition much less desirable than the present one. And in the meantime, the Allies might well be on their guard and indeed increase their visitiance, against alienating the confidence and hope which the South without doubt has in them as representing her own ideals of properionstituted authority and government.

Nor should the South expect more made would be that the Allies had

Jingoism And Pacifism In The New Parliament

By George Bernard Shaw Sullabus of a lecture in a course "The Issues of the Coming Election," announced by the Fabian Society, London, delivered Novem-

We can get rid of most of the different senses in which the yord pacifism is used by concluding ew Parliament. One wishes one ould say as much for the other exhow that the Hidden Handers and, n general, those zealots who believe ed the Egyptians by letting won by themselves in England by int of persecuting people with Gerommon sense under the strain of war, will not be popular or successful candidates, even when they are enthusiastically supported by the newspapers which have the best reasons for dreading an epidemic of that complaint. Certainly the majority in the House will consist of men who have won the votes both of the electors who are very tired of the war, and of those who will not support any candidate who exposes himself to the suspicion of being prepared to capitulate. It would be too much to expect that the wornout war catchwords will not still save most of the speakers at the election out war catchwords will not still save most of the speakers at the election meetings the disgrace of having to confess that they have nothing to say. Everybody will still declare that we must have a just and lasting peace, regardless of the obvious fact that no division of the spoils in the game of war can possibly be a just one, and that no peace can be a lasting one until war is abolished as an institution by the substitution of international law for sovereign rights, which, whilst they last, must include the sovereign right, glory, and privilege of, challenging every other sovereign at any enging every other sovereign at any

differ on any other subject than their success at the polls, which in many cases they will not) in reasonable terms. Peace by agreement, which is the only alternative to peace by conquest and annexation, will no longer be allowed to mean British capitulation; the ridiculous false alternative of negotiation versus victory will be replaced by the true alternative of agreement versus con-

that is, the political if not actual vital extermination of the defeated belligerent); and it will become clear that our military aim is a conlineing demonstration that Western emocracy is invincible by the mili tarist oligarchies which still rally round the divine right of dynasties There will also be a great challeng that the extremes of Tolstolan paci-fism will not be represented in the for example, Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, who has been fighting the Kaiser all his life, and once denounced the reme; but the by-elections tend to whole Fabian Society as traitors when the executive committee spoil hat the war can be and should be Fabian office window at a high price royal procession in which the Kaiser man names and mobbing natives was a prominent and much ap-who show signs of retaining their plauded figure, will probably not stand being called a pro-German by some political upstart who, as like ly as not, paid five guineas for a seat at that window. Questions ewspapers which have the best liberty and political courage will be a good deal discussed. The people who, the moment they come under dre, instantly and frantically throw all our hard-won safeguards of iberty and democracy overboard like men in a falling balloon, and when remonstrated with can only shrick, "Do you know that we are at war?" which means, simply, "Do you know we are all going to be murdered?" will be very freely recommended to conceal their terror as the rest of us have to do. In short, most of the newspaper and platform rhetoric of the war will be nailed to the counter on both sides; and the new members will be men who have been forced more or less to mean something by what they say and to find out what that meaning is. This will differentiate them extremely from the present House. But there will still be a great clearing away of cant to be done in the House itself. The main difference will develop between those who believe that a military decision can right, glory, and privilege of challenging every other sovereign at any moment to stake all his realm on the result of a fight. We shall still begin our speeches by crying, "Come the four quarters of the world in arms and we shall shock them," and end by insisting that this must be the very last war, because no future generation of Britons can ever be expected to stand up to the Germans or to any one else.

But these imbedilities will not decide the fate of the election because they will be in the mouths of all the orators. The rival candidates will not be able to score off one another by echoing each other's nonsense. They will be forced to explain helr differences (if they differ on any other subject than their success at the polls, which in many cases they will not) in reasonable terms. Peace by agreement, which is the only alternative to peace by conquest and annexation, will no longer be allowed to mean British capitulation; the ridiculous false of the Atlantic will be able to syndam of the Allies on this side of the Atlantic will be able to exnce will develop between those wh

Great War Is Over But Not For Siberia

(Japan Advertiser)

roops marked the cessation of hospower, but it did not express the presence of an Inter-Allied police force, into sheer speculation of the fourth conditions The Russian people must find them-

of satistical averages, where every thing can be classified. The Great War is over, but not for do think alike, and people of similar Siberia. The Victory Parade of Allied convictions gravitate towards each other, and make up parties. In facilities on the Western front, and the it is impossible to live in Russia triumph of Inter-Allied military and not belong to a party. Patriot ism is so strong, ideals so challengculmination of Russian aims and ing, hope so pregnant, and discussive struggle. Though hushed by the sion so persistent, that one is bound to be classed sooner or later with the masses of Russia are yet unsatisfied, and who can tell what will is not a bad thing. The only diffisatisfy them? Here one is thrown culty is to find a party that is stable enough for one conscientiously to

First Thoughts On Victory

The Future Of Germany

By Arnold Bennett

(Mr. Arnold Bennett is the official head of the British Department of Information. which post he succeeded Lord

Relief, yes! But not elation! This vas what I felt as I went about the streets on armistice night; relief, shot through with gratitude. The young men and the middle-aged nen in the uniforms of the fighting ervices were wandering to and fro and amid the women and us right at the head of affairs had might well ruin us. taken the suppose responsibilities. The Way To Anarchy these three classes made one rest of us fell into the other section. ween the two sections. The one had only helped to win it. The one be in ashes. (Verbum satis ection was made up of heroes and eroines, the other section comprised citizens who had assisted, who had done more or less what they could what fell to themperhaps a lot, perhaps a little, but ione of the deeds of the second

History may decide that a man well organised a whole war department of State shall outweigh million warriors in the final hearts will still decide that the men for example, who by their grim nerve and the rapidity of their shooting retarded hour by hour and shall be admired above ten million controllers.

Ended Or Begun?

Ended Or Began?

I bowed down in spirit before those strolling fighters, with their vacuous and incomprehensible shoutings and titterings; for they had done their job, and they were instituctively foolish became the shadow of the menace of death had been suddenly lifted from them. But I could not share their slatton. People cried: "It is all over!" But I shought, and very many of us must now be thinking: "It has just begun." The shadow of the menace of death, while it is removed from the begun." The shadow of the menace of death, while it is removed from the individual man, still hangs over society, over civilisation, over the whole face of the earth; and we are secretly aware that our pride and our satisfaction may soon give place again to fearful anxieties and shaking terrors.

The war has resolved society into The war has resolved society into its original elements. In some parts of the world, as in Russia, these elements have not even the semblance of holding together. In others they seem to hold together, and possibly in reality they do hold together, but what remains of their organised cohersion may vanish at a too rough blow. And the symbol and exemplar of society today is the new Germany, upon which our eyes should now be set. If anything antoward happens to the new Germany and the parts of the second control of the second

melined to make them harder. An have as yet detected naught in-neces conditions so graciously you safed to the world by Lord Northol any item to which I could seriou

Nevertheless, I say that we must be generous enough to give two things to Germany. The first of these two things is time. Time under due guarantees; but time! The second is a sympathetic appreciation of the great fact that, from whatever motives, she has turned over a new leaf. We demanded of her that the Hohenzollern along should be overthern. ang should be overthrown, and wasplied that if it was overthrown w mplied that if it was overthrown whould look at Germeny with a mon avorable glance. The Hohenzoller mang has been overthrown. Let us morget it, for the event is no trifle,

civilians; and as I looked at their ing the penalty. Ingenuous faces I—was pierced by the sensation of what they had gone through or might have gone through, and what their dead comrades had gone through, and what all the maimed inhabitants of countable through.

There will only be a howling, utterly disorganised herd of mad human beings in the grip of a hysteria of blood and destruction. From such a herd no statesmanship and no military force could exact any penalties whatever. It would be the berd that the maimed inhabitants of countable through. less hospitals had gone through dark it would be the herd that, and I had to divide the British would exact penalties from the rest of would exact penalties from the rest of the earth. To put the thing no higher, had suffered and endured in the field, those who had tended suffering and watched over agony, those who frightful hours of infancy. And it

For Germany cannot be ostracise ection, and a relatively small and cut off from mankind. The ection in my mind. And all the earth is a thickly-peopled city, and once a fire has fairly started in a There could be no comparison be- city you cannot ostracise it. The when daylight dawns the city may ought to be-to the noble cohort of supertax-payers.) Let none argue bloodless. The German revolution has only just begun. The Russlan Look at it now. I do not assert tha section was fit to be named with the German revolution will neces sarily follow the spath of the Rus cian. But it assuredly will do so unless the civilisation of the world takes a friendly hand in guiding it And the world-consequences anarchy in Germany-Germany, the home of discipline and concerted effort, and the obedient effacemen of the individual-would be im measurably more awful than the

Russia. Make no mistake about it.
And how can we give moral help
to Germany if we are not strong
ourselves? Are we strong ourselves?
Who knows? At best, tremendous
trouble lies ahead. A deep and
thrice-justified discontent bipairs
the solidarity of the race. And Boithrice-justified discontent impairs the solidarity of the race. And Bol-shevism is sporadic everywhere. Bolshevism is the senseless enemy of order, and without order the work of reconstruction, which is the work of curing discontent, is scotched. Order cannot be maintained by force, and Bolshevism cannot be destroyed by force. Nothing but national confidence in the democratic bona fides of government can procure the desired ends. Let our leaders look to it. Electioneering, dodgery, chicane are worse than useless. If safety is to be reached, vast ills must be healed by vast remedles, applied with absolute singleness of heart.

For inyself, I should like to be assured that the guiding minds of this great and triumphant nation were more exercised about righteous principles than about political maneuvers for position.

Ultra Optimism

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the Phoenicians who rounded Gibraltar and entered the North Sea to the engage in trade with the British isles. But the Phoenicians did not corfine their activities to the west. They also passed through the Adriantic to dispressions metals in the central European mountains. Their the

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perity returned to the Adriatic. This Adriatic Sea, which before the prebecome a stage upon which Italy Through boughs and branches the

as the stage of international con-flicts. He describes in detail the struggles between the smaller races around that sea. But "today, just as when the Phoenicians sailed their ships over the Adriatic Sea, the white waves as they break on the beaches in the port of Trieste have not changed at all. There has been ac made also in that the Adriatic Sen is the center of violenstruggles among the nations bordering on that sea for its control and no change will also be made in that respect in future."

Recent Verse Promise Of Spring, 1918 (From The English Review)

boy-sun laughs, and Day catters his beams Where the youngling shadows play; And in the wounded fields The new buds break, and pout Their lips to the morning's kiss. And where

But yesterday a thousand loves

Moved to their close, The rusted wire is fair With heedless greenery. And soon the rose Shall make of this

Mould of young sacrifice a flaming Of passionate bloom that yields largesse of their brief mortality.

11 drous, clear, across the bree Again I hear the Suffolk seas. And fair and flebt over the grass hear the feet of children pass. And where I stand, by many graves, Are cliffs and sand, and burrying

wayes. And where the the guns lie hid to slay The river runs through yesterday. STEPHEN SOUTHWOLD,

The Flute (From The Century)

"Playing on an old flute." 'That's Heine's flute, You mustn't touch it." Why not, if I can make it sound?"

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'I don't believe I can-much. It's full of dust. Still, listen:"

The rose moon whitens the lifting Heigh-ho! the nightingale sings!

moon thread weaves. Ancient as time are these midnight

things." "The nightingale's notes over-bubble

Heigh-ho! yet the night is so big! He stands on his nest in a wafer of light

And the nest was once a philosopher's wig." Moon-sharp needles and dew on the

Heigh-ho! it flickers, the breeze! Kings, philosophers, periwigs pass. Nightingales hatch their eggs in the

Wigs and pigs and kings and courts, Heigh-ho! rain on the flower! The old moon thinks her white, bright

thoughts. And trundles away before the With ignorance, and meeting shower."

Driftwood (From The Century)

My spirit's shaken flame, The shape of hands, the beat of The letters of my name,

And not my sleeping sires, Who taught my spirit how to flar With irridescent fires.

As the driftwood burning Learned its jeweled blaze From the sea's blue splendor Of colored nights and days, SARA TEASDALE.

(From The Pagan) We are the singers Who of our great love have made A strange, unlettered song. And have sung it.

Silently. We are the singers, Singing our poor hearts out in desola-

tion, Scaling with weak ladders of song The high wall of the world; Battling hopelessly

"Well, you got it to play"
"Yes, a little. And it has lovely silver mountings."

AMY LOWELL. We are the singers Who of our great desire have sung Strange melodies. That end in discord.

JOSEPH U. HARRIS.

And Yet-From The Pagan)

Delicate, angular letters, Already fading a little; Only a few careless words Scrawled on a title-page: And yet-you smile at me Over the heads of the dead. Across the darkened void, As you have smiled at me Across the lighted ballroom

Over the heads of the dancer RUTH CLAY PRICE.

(From The Pagan) The house next door is of bricks Soft, old, brown bricks; A vine climbs up the side And sparrows chirp in the vine They twitter, and chirp, and murm

in the twilight and at dawning. Some folks hate the English sparroy But to me the wall and the vine And the twittering of the sparrows Is as romantic as nightingales.
In the garden of some old castle.
ADAM PEARSALL

(From The New Witness) held a penny in his hand, And looked at it this way and that. I'm blg and red and round," he said, While he is little, cold and flat."

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Jan. 14 - Hankow	Klangfoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.	
Jan. 14 /- Tsingtao	Tencho Maru	Jap. S. M. R.	
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Jan. 14 - Swatow	Hwah Kuei	Br. B. & S.	
Jan. 14 - Chefoo	Tungchow	Br. B. & S.	
Jan. 14 - Hongkong	Mishima Maru	Jap N. Y. K.	
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AMOY, HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co's Steamer Summing, Captain W. L. Jones, will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on Thursday, Jannary 18, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage apply to BUTTEFFIELD & SWIRE, Agents, Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

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r Shanghai on Monday. The N.K.K. s.s. Yohyang Maru The N.K.K. ss. Yohyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday. The C.M. ss. Nanking left Hongkong for Shanghai on Monday and is due at Woosung at daylight tomorrow. She sails for San Francisco via Japan Ports and Honomul the same afternoon and the tinder will leave the Customs Jetty at 4 p.m.
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The C.M. s.s. Hwahta left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Chungking left Hankow for Shanghai yesteday.

The N.K.K. s.s. Slangyang Maru left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The I.-C. s.s. Kutwo will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Klangyung will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The N.K.K. s.s. Pachang Maru viii leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Yawata Maru (Shanghai-Osaka Line) with mails left Moji for Shanghai on Monday and may be expected to arrive to-

The M.M. s.ss. Porthes, with the French mails of December 6, left Hongkong for Shanghai Monday morning at 7 o'clock and may be exmorning at 7 o'clock and may be expected to arrive at Woosung to night about /11 and at Shanghai Comorrow morning about 9 o'clock.
The C.N. s.s. Shiklang left Hong-kong for Shanghai yesterday.
The C.N. s.s. Sulyang will leave Hongkong for Shanghai tomorrow.
The C.N. s.s. Ngankin will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.
The I-C. ss. Tuckwo will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.
The N.K.K. s.s. Tafoo Maru will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.
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The Blue Funnel as. Agamemaon (European Line) left Hongkong for Shanghai on Monday at noon and may be expected to arrive tomorrow.

Siccawei Weather Report

.13.—Cloudy but still rather fine weather in our regions. Showfall at Tientsin and Chefoo a depression is Kiangsi: another one seems forming r developing in the Hwangho Valley 14.—Very cloudy, misty, gloomy weather. The breezes have veered to



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China on the 2nd April, 1918.

To be drawn among 50,000 successive numbers in full view of the

ublic in Shanghai, China, on the 21st January, 1919. One tenth of each ticket will be sold at \$0.60, the proceeds of which after payment of prizes, charges, etc., will be divided between the Hunan Famine Relief Fund and the Benevolent Institutions. The Associaves to itself the right to all

Prices for whole tickets \$6.00.

LIST OF PRIZES FOR WHOLE TICKETS

1	First Prize		*****	\$50,000
1	Second Prize			10,000
1	Third Prize			5,000
2	Fourth Prizes	2,000	each	4,000
2	Fifth Prizes	1,000	33	2,000
2	Sixth Prizes	500	"	1,000
10	Seventh Prizes	100	"	1,000
20	Eighth Prizes	50	99	1,000
50	Ninth Prizes	40	**	2,000
800	Tenth Prizes	20		16,000
	Each approximate to the First Prize	300	"	600
	Each approximate to the Second Prize	150	**	300
2	Each approximate to the Third Prize	100	,,	200
	Each approximate to the Fourth Prize	50	**	200
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499	For numbers having the two terminal			15.935
	figures similar to those of Third Prize	12	11	5,988
998	For numbers having the two terminal	1 11		
	figures similar to those of Fourth Prize .	10	11	9,980

Total \$125,735 3,394 drawn tickets Tickets may be obtained from all dealers.

All prizes won locally will be given at The Chinese Benevolent Associated (271-6, Boulevard des deux Republiques, Shanghai): if abroad, will paid at the Branch Offices of The Bank of China elsewhere.

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S.M.C. 7% Debs. 1917 @ Tls. 97.00

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Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, January 14, 1919, Money And Bullion Sovereigns: buying rate.

@ 5/1=Tls. 3.93 Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate,

Mex. Dollars Market Rate: 72.125

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	Paris T.T.	661
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	New York T.T.	121
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	Hongkong T.T.	641
	Japan T.T.	421

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Today's Bank Buying Rate For Roubles
Roubles 1,350 = Tls. Roubles 100 = Mex: \$10.25

Customs House Exchange Rates For January

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	1	0	15	Rupees	4.2
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Hongkong And Shanghai Banking Corporation

per share (subject to deduc-tion of Income Tax.) Added to Silver Reserve.. \$1,500,000.00

Written off Bank Pre-Carried forward to next year about

LANGKAT OUTPUT

The following telegraphic information has been received from the Sumatra Director and Manager of the Maatschappil tot Mijn-Bosch-en Landbouwexploitatie in Langkat.

The output of crude oil for the week ended 12th inst., was 256 tons.

GETS THREE MORE SHIPS

American Line Allotted Big Cargo Steamers For Permanent Operation To Orient

Three trans-Pacific cargo boats, @ exch. 72.4=Mex. \$5.43 for permanent operation to the Pacific Mail Steamship Company by @ 121=Tls. 82.64 the United States Shipping Board. @ 72.4=Mex. \$114.14 The first of the steamers is due at Manila early in March and will take cargo from Shanghal on the return S'hai Gold Bars: 978 touch Tis. 257 trip to San Francisco. The ships Copper Cash per tael 1830 may also have a limited passenger North China Insurance Tis. 120.00 Native Interest Tis, .11 carrying capacity, but nothing definite is known about this here.

The three steamers, Eclipse, Archer and Westvaca, were com pleted during America's campaign present the latest type of cargo-boat construction. By their addition, the Pacific Mail will give fortnightly service from Shanghai to San Francisco as it is planned to run the newly acquired liners once a month, with the Venezuela, Colombia and also maintaining their nonthly schedules.

With the Santa Craz and Colusa n the East India service and three Shipping Board steamers operating petween Manila, Saigon, Haiphong and Singapore, the Pacific Mail nov perates eleven ships on the Pacific.

The announcement made yesterday is the first of the promised after-war program. The local office expecting several other ships for he trans-Pacific service. Yenezuela Here Friday

The Venezuela of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company is expected at all Saturday afternoon. Among the passengers booked are Mr. J. J. smiddy, United States Marshal at Ionolulu; Mr. J. J. Gendreau and going to Paris; Mr. R. L. henoweth, of the Standard Oil Company at Hankow; Mr. J. J. Whalen, of Reid, Eyans and Comdr. W. A. Marshall, of Jardine, and Company; Mr. S. teward, of J. C. Whitney Company, nd Mrs. F. A. McKee.

Nanking Sails Friday

The China Mail Steamship Com-nany liper Nanking will sail from hanghai for Japan ports and San Francisco Friday afternoon. The Francisco Friday afternoon. The ender, with passengers, will leave the Customs Jetty at four o'clock, according to an announcement made by the local agent, Mr. F. C. Charman, yesterday afternoon. The Nanking is due at Woosung early Friday morning, having left Hong-kong yesterday.

The Manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation advises us he has received a telegram from the head office stating that, subject to audit, the Directors will recommend at the forthcoming meeting:

A final dividend for the year of £2.50 per share (subject to deduction of Income Tax.)

Bonus in addition to dividend of £1.10.0 per share (subject to deduction of share)



GOOD YEAR TIRES

FOR MAXIMUM MILEAGE

SHANGHAI-NANKING RAILWAY ABRIDGED TIME TABLE

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China Political Notes From Chinese Press

Former President Li Yuan-hung ll go to Europe to study peace chang. He said that he will be accompanied by Mr. Chang Chien, the

former Minister of Agriculture and Commerce.

According to the Chung Foo News Agency, the Southwest is about to declare to the Powers that the Lu Cheng-halan peace commission to Europe is not representative and should not be accorded recognition by the Powers at the peace conference. The Peking Government has instructed its agents in Canton and Hongkong to report on the matterimmediately.

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Military operations still continue in Shensi. General Ya Yu-jen, the Southern leader, has urged the other leaders to resume their hoetilities, alleging that Tuchun Chen, Shuitles, alleging that Tuchun Chen, Shuitles, alleging that Government has explained to the South that the positions taken up by the troops were

funct Senate have introduced a sidential election on the ground the the Southern Senate has attained a problems. This was announced in his letter to President Hsu Shih-

NEW TRIPLE ALLIANCE IS URGED IN ITALY

Rome Paper Wants 'Perfect Agreement, Reserving That Solution Be Accepted By Us.

Rome, December 8.—The Glornal d'Italia, commenting upon the meeting that a perfect agreement be rea

the other hand, the Government has explained to the South that the positions taken up by the troops were for the purpose of bandit-suppression and did not mean hostile action agains: the constitutionalists and asked the South not to be misted by General Yu.

Tuchun Li Shun of Kiangsu has again unged the issuance of a mandate granting amnesty to Dr. Sun Yat-sen, Mr. Wu Ching-lien, and other constitutionalists. The Government has delayed the issuance, it is understood, on account of the issuance, it is understood, on account of the Bouth to appoint its peace delegation to Nanking.

Both Liang Shih-yi and Chow Tsechi are expected to come South to President."

OLYMPIC THEATRE

on Saturday, January 18th at 9.15 p.m.

FIRST CONCERT

THE PETROGRAD CHAMBER ENSEMBLE

"ZIMRO"

Programme

for Clarionet and Violincello and Piano.

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ands Valued At Y.100,000,000

practically uncultivated," says Mr. Takahashi, "and if those who buy Tokio, January 6.—The Imperial ousehold Department has announced, will be easy to realise an income many times greater than the sale price art of lands and forests owned by the within a few years. Besides the ernment will be able to increase revenue a great deal from the tax part of the people, as the people for years have longed for a chance to in uncultivated in various parts

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